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KNOWN AS A "VIRTUOSIC ENSEMBLE WITH AN ORIGINAL AND RISK-TAKING VISION"

– (Audiophile Audition Magazine)

No contemporary group has been more influential in the development of the string quintet than Sybarite5. The ensemble has commissioned, premiered, and promoted over 60 new works since its inception in 2006, and has built a global audience with concert programs featuring new music by American composers. OUTLIERS is a full-length album celebrating the exceptional results of adecade devoted to the creation and performance of new American concert music.

Each track has been carefully selected to demonstrate a decade of musical growth and the relationships developed between Sybarite5 and these accomplished American composers. Sybarite5 has worked directly and personally with each composer to understand how to best communicate their musical intentions and create this recording.

SYBARITE5 IS:

Laura Metcalf, cello **Louis Levitt,** double bass **Angela Pickett,** viola **Sami Merdinian & Sarah Whitney,** violins

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① **Getting Home (I must be...)** Jessica Meyer (2015)
② **Yann's Flight** Shawn Conley (2013)
③ **Pop Rocks** Eric Byers (2013)

Hitchhiker's Tales: Dan Visconti (2006-2012)

④ **Black Bend** ⑤ **Dixie Twang** ⑥ **Pedal to the Metal**

⑦ **Revolve** Andy Akiho (2012)
⑧ **Muqqadamah** Mohammed Fairouz (2014)
⑨ **Allemande pour Tout le Monde** Kenji Bunch (2015)
⑩ **Kompa for Toussaint** Daniel Bernard Roumain (2015)
⑪ **Sarabande** Eric Byers (2014)
⑫ **Blue Bourée** Michi Wiancko (2014)
⑬ **Gi-gue-ly** Ljova (2015)

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